(b) The programmes on national integration are mounted by all Stations of All India Radio and Doordarshan and the information regarding the time devoted to these programmes is not centrally maintained.

PCOs in Police Station in Delhi/New Delhi

1708. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that many police stations/police posts in Delhi/New Delhi have not been provided with public call offices resulting in great inconvenience to general public; and

(b) what steps are being taken by Government to provide PCOs in all the police stations/posts in Delhi/New Delhi?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA): (a) As a measure of improving accessibility of the public to telephone service, public telephones are being opened in public places including police stations. Public Telephones are available in some Police Stations in Delhi/New Delhi.

(b) Though there is no specific policy to provide PCOs in all Police Stations/Posts, individual proposals can be considered depending on their merit.

PCOs installed at Hospitals like Safdarjung and Ram Manohar Lohia

1709. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of PCOs installed at hospitals like Safdarjung, Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia and Maternity and Gynae Hospital, R. K. Puram, remain out of order or are having broken instruments;

(b) whether Government would take some steps for daily routine checking of PCO instruments in the general hospitals in the capital; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof and if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) PCOs at hospitals are being checked daily as a matter of maintenance routine. The Department has also taken steps to check cases of vandalism.

Utilisation of installed capacity of the Telephone Exchange in Delhi, Bombay and Calcutta

1710. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the present utilisation percentage of installed capacity of the telephone exchanges in Delhi, Bombay, Calcutta and Madras; and

(b) what steps are being taken to get the full installed capacity utilised to reduce the waiting lists for telephone connections in the metropolitan cities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA): (a) Capacity utilisation of Exchanges is as under:

(i) Delhi	85.9%	As on 31-7-90
(it) Bombay	90.1%	
(iii) Calcutta	82.7%	As on 30-6-90
(iv) Madras	88.5%	